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## News Clips from Region 9 Media Outlets

February 8-10, 2020

### Report Overview:

**Total Clips (50)**

**Administrator (1)**

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**Budget/Recovery Act (1)**

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**Energy Issues (1)**

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**Safe and Sustainable Water Resources (1)**


















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Headline	Date	Outlet	Outlet State	
Administrator (1)				
 <b>Editorial: How a pesticide's decline shows California's far-reaching impact</b>	02/08/2020	San Francisco Chronicle Online	CA	  
Air (14)				
 <b>A not-so-green tilt in windmill debate: Turbine blades, some longer than a Boeing 747 wing, can't be recycled. So they're piling up in landfills.</b>	02/09/2020	Los Angeles Times	CA	 
 <b>Decline of oil industry leaves a toxic legacy in California: Deserted wells pose a health risk. Cleaning up may cost billions that drillers haven't put up.</b>	02/09/2020	Los Angeles Times	CA	 
 <b>Holdout coal plants mar a new clean-energy West: Some utilities stick to fossil fuel, defying economic and political shifts</b>	02/09/2020	Los Angeles Times	CA	 
 <b>Is idling a significant contributor to the atmosphere's carbon burden?</b>	02/09/2020	Arizona Daily Star Online	AZ	  

	What will replace Ormond, Mandalay power plants?	02/09/2020	Ventura County Star Online	CA	
	Boost 'green' energy storage to shore up electricity reliability	02/08/2020	Desert Sun, The	CA	
	Climate Emergency Declared by Santa Clara County Transportation Board	02/08/2020	KNTV-TV Online	CA	
	Public hearing on climate bill draws big crowd in Oregon	02/08/2020	Arizona Daily Star Online	AZ	
	'Significant noise impact' would follow basing F-35s in Tucson	02/08/2020	Arizona Daily Star Online	AZ	
	Accusations follow EPA's ouster of California regional boss	02/07/2020	San Diego Union-Tribune Online	CA	
	From Delivery Trucks To Scooter-Moving Vans, Fleets Are Going Electric	02/07/2020	KNAU-FM Online	AZ	
	Newsom Declares Victory Over Trump Administration As Auto Emission Anti-Trust Probe Ends	02/07/2020	KPIX-TV Online	CA	
	Public meeting set for Feb. 19 to discuss high benzene levels in West Torrance	02/07/2020	Daily Breeze Online	CA	
	Trump takes Yucca Mountain off the table. What's that mean for San Onofre nuclear waste?	02/07/2020	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	

#### Brownfields / Superfund / Other Cleanups (6)






	How Is Plastic Getting Into Hawaii's Soil?	02/10/2020	Honolulu Civil Beat	HI	
	Unlikely allies push the White House to back cleaning pollution from the Tijuana River	02/10/2020	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	
	CHEMICAL HAZARDS: Dark Waters exposes hidden chemical hazards, but do others lurk?	02/09/2020	San Francisco Chronicle	CA	
	Dispute Erupts Following Ouster of California's Top EPA Official	02/08/2020	KTLA-TV Online	CA	
	Regional EPA Chief Says Agency Fired Him; Stoker Stands By His Doubts About Climate Change	02/08/2020	KQED-FM Online	CA	
	Stoker Deep-Sixed as Head of West Coast EPA	02/08/2020	Santa Barbara Independent Online	CA	

#### Budget/Recovery Act (1)

	Trump budget, to be released today, faces deep skepticism and overwhelming politics	02/10/2020	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	
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#### Climate Change (10)

	California: Can Newsom settle the water wars?	02/09/2020	Los Angeles Daily News	CA	
	Climate change is making life hard for desert tortoises in the Southwest	02/09/2020	Arizona Republic Online	AZ	
	Experts: Water management fixes for Ariz. developments won't come soon	02/09/2020	Arizona Daily Star	AZ	
	Housing: CEQA harms minority opportunities	02/09/2020	Orange County Register, The	CA	
	Water management fixes won't come soon for Arizona, experts say	02/09/2020	Arizona Daily Star Online	AZ	
	Antarctica breaks heat record as climate change warms up continent	02/08/2020	Las Vegas Review-Journal Online	NV	
	Earthtalk: Has Wall Street gone green?	02/08/2020	Arizona Daily Sun	AZ	

	<b>Rooted in the bigger picture: A strategic approach for planting trees for the environment</b>	02/08/2020	Desert Sun, The	CA	 
	<b>Jane Fonda enlists Joaquin Phoenix and other famous friends for L.A. climate protest</b>	02/07/2020	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	  
	<b>Sonoma's Straus Family Creamery Becomes Zero Waste Certified</b>	02/07/2020	KPIX-TV Online	CA	  
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Energy Issues (1)					
	<b>Amazon orders 100K electric delivery vehicles in move to go net-zero carbon</b>	02/07/2020	KOLO-TV Online	NV	  
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Enforcement (1)					
	<b>Aliso Creek: Regulator proposes \$9.1M fine for runoff</b>	02/09/2020	Orange County Register, The	CA	 
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Related News (1)					
	<b>Deluge in Australia drenches fires and eases 3-year drought</b>	02/10/2020	Arizona Daily Sun Online	AZ	  
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Research and Development (2)					
	<b>'Forever chemicals' trigger widespread closure of water wells</b>	02/08/2020	Orange County Register Online, The	CA	  
	<b>Ride-sharing services increasing road congestion in cities</b>	02/07/2020	KNXV-TV Online	AZ	  
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Safe and Sustainable Water Resources (1)					
	<b>Conservationists attacked in refuge for Mexican porpoise</b>	02/10/2020	San Diego Union-Tribune Online	CA	  
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Toxics (1)					
	<b>NY to restrict, disclose toxic chemicals in kids' products</b>	02/07/2020	Fresno Bee Online, The	CA	  
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Trash / Recycling / Solid Waste (2)					
	<b>CALIFORNIA: Another waste reduction bill will be on the ballot this year</b>	02/09/2020	Times-Herald, The	CA	 
	<b>Local recycling company encourages community to recycle foam</b>	02/07/2020	KOLO-TV Online	NV	  
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Water (4)					
	<b>Cadiz Receives Reaffirmation from US BLM that the Cadiz Water Project Furthers a Railroad Purpose</b>	02/10/2020	Arizona Daily Star Online	AZ	  
	<b>Mohave County leaders ask state to help safeguard declining groundwater</b>	02/09/2020	Arizona Republic Online	AZ	  
	<b>Summer-run steelhead are 'top athletes' and 'extraordinary'</b>	02/09/2020	Times-Standard Online	CA	  
	<b>EPA loans Coachella Valley Water District \$59 million for stormwater control</b>	02/08/2020	Desert Sun Online	CA	  
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Other (5)					
	<b>Environmental groups contend in lawsuit that the EPA has not protected Hawaii's shorelines</b>	02/10/2020	Honolulu Star-Advertiser Online	HI	  

**Also of note:**

Polluted stormwater runoff in Bolsa Chica reserve leads to \$95,000 EPA fine (Orange County Register)

Huntington Beach Company Settles Stormwater Runoff Dispute with EPA (My News LA)

CVWD receives \$59 million loan for stormwater channel improvements (with video) (another version with photos) (KESQ)

Nevada Mining: 'This is the Wild West out here' (Politico)

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